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ESTABLISHED JUNE 5, 1870.

GREAT NORTHERN TRAIN  
IS HELD UP BY BANDITS

Dynamite Safe in Express Car in Montana and  
Secure From \$30,000 to \$50,000.

Keep Up Fusillade of Shots to Intimidate Passengers and  
Three Are Wounded—Robbers Escape.

HELENA, Mont., July 3.—A special to the Independent from Great Falls, Mont., says: Train No. 3 on the Great Northern, westbound, was held up about 2:20 this afternoon near Wagner station, 196 miles east of Great Falls, by three masked men. They blew the express car to pieces with dynamite, tearing off the roof and sides down to the floor, and then forced the express messenger to open his way safe, but it was empty.

Without asking him to open the though safe, to which he did not have the combination, they shattered it with dynamite and secured the contents. It is reported the booty was \$30,000, but this cannot be verified.

While the robbery was in progress, a fusillade of shots was kept up along the sides of the coaches, forcing the passengers to remain within. Few ventured to look out, and the train was shot at in the arm and shoulder, and slightly wounded. A little girl was also wounded. The wounded arrived in Great Falls tonight at 11 o'clock. Woodside's condition is serious.

One of the robbers boarded the train at Malta and rode on the blind baggage to Wagner, where he pulled the bell cord. When the train stopped he climbed on to the engine and forced the engineer and fireman to leave. By this time his confederates had appeared and began shooting along the sides of the train to keep the passengers from coming to the relief of the express messenger.

Dynamite was then applied to the express car. When the first explosion occurred a crowd of discharged soldiers, who were on the train, but when the second explosion occurred he turned to ride away, and one of the robbers shot his horse, disabling the animal, but the herder got away, and walking to Malta gave the alarm and a posse started for the scene, but the robbers had mounted horses that were picketed in a couple of miles. They forded the river and struck off for the Bad Lands to the south, riding at a slow canter and keeping a lookout behind as long as they were in sight.

A large posse is in pursuit, but the robbers had a good start and were riding good horses, and the topography of the country is favorable to escape. The men had their faces blackened with charcoal and wore masks, but several of the passengers said they could identify them.

A late report says the amount secured from the through safe was \$50,000. The express company has offered a reward of \$5,000 for the arrest and conviction of the robbers.

St. Paul, Minn., July 3.—A dispatch to the Associated Press from Havre, Mont., says the following were shot by the train robbers who held up the Great Northern flyer near Wagner today:

Gertrude M. Smith of Tomah, Wis., a passenger who leaned from a window, received a bullet through the right arm, but is not seriously hurt.

Mr. Douglas of Clancy, Mont., traveling auditor for the Montana division of the Great Northern, shot through left arm; only a flesh wound. Brakenman Whiteside of Havre, shot through arm, near shoulder; seriously injured.

At the Great Northern offices here no details as to the amount of money secured by the train robbers in Montana were given out, but before 8 o'clock the company had posted a reward of \$5,000 for the apprehension of the robbers. The reward was taken as evidence that the booty was heavy. Great Northern officials are extremely reticent concerning the details of the robbery.

TWO "CRAFTERS" MAY HAVE BEEN  
KILLED BY DISCHARGED SOLDIERS

(Special to The Herald.)

Orden, July 3.—Passengers on a special train bearing a crowd of discharged soldiers, which arrived in Orden this morning, bring reports of a shooting near Kelton in which a part of Uncle Sam's former infantrymen and three "crafters" were the participants. The soldiers were victorious and there is some doubt yet that the crafters were not killed.

The train left the Francisco with members of the Thirty-eighth, Forty-fourth, Forty-fifth and Forty-ninth volunteer infantry, about 100 men. They had just been paid off at the Presidio and had a good time with their money.

Three strange civilians boarded the train as it left the Oakland pier and there was a suspicion of the time that they were confidence men. The character of the strange passengers gradually became known, and the excitement that prevailed was intensified by the discovery this morning that one of the soldiers, W. T. S. Jones, of Fresno, Ariz., had been robbed during the night of all his cash, amounting to \$100.

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THE SALT LAKE TRIBUNE

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH: THURSDAY, JULY 4, 1901

Weather Today.

Forecast for Salt Lake Today i  
Fair; slight changes in temperature

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NEW YORK'S MORGUES AND  
HOSPITALS OVERFLOWING

Six Hundred Victims Have Been Claimed By the  
Terrible Hot Wave.

Rainfalls and Thunderstorms Afford But Little Relief to  
Suffering Humanity.

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New York, July 4.—At 12:30  
o'clock this (Thursday) morn-  
ing it was estimated that the  
total number of deaths from  
heat in the last six days in  
Greater New York was 600.  
In the boroughs of Manhattan  
and the Bronx, between  
hours of 8 a. m. Wednesday and  
1 o'clock this (Thursday) morn-  
ing the total number of deaths  
by heat were ninety-nine, and  
the number of prostrations 153.  
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New York, July 3.—The rainstorms of today, with their consequent fall in temperature, were a Godsend to the bulk of suffering humanity in this city. As soon as the last storm of the afternoon had passed over, the temperature immediately began to recede. The wind which blew during the storm also commenced to abate very rapidly, until it assumed the proportion of a slight breeze only. These atmospheric conditions, coupled with the very considerable humidity which came as an aftermath of the downfall of water from the clouds, made the suffering almost as intense as it was when the thermometer has registered several degrees higher.

Most of the hospitals are already crowded to their utmost capacity, and many of them have erected tents in their grounds for the accommodation of the heat victims. The death rate has increased with such rapidity that the morgue is being taxed as it never was before, and every available foot of space is now occupied by corpses. Hospital attendants are collapsing under the extraordinary strain to which they have been subjected, and were it not for the volunteers who have come to their aid, the situation would be greatly aggravated by enforced neglect of heat patients.

When the first down-pour of rain struck the city today it was accompanied by thunder and a fair-sized squall, which soon reduced the temperature to a more bearable level. The humidity made the air so sultry, however, that the great reduction was not perceptible to the extent which most people would imagine. At 1:30 p. m. the thermometer registered 84 degrees, and half an hour later it had dropped two degrees. Then about 2:30 p. m. a heavy rain and wind appeared, and at 3 o'clock p. m. it registered only 76 degrees. By 4 o'clock, however, a rise of four degrees was noted. At 1:30 p. m. the thermometer dropped back one point. Then it went forward again, and at 5 p. m. it was 77 degrees, and at 6 o'clock 78, and at 8 o'clock 80 degrees.

The wind and lightning which accompanied the rain did much damage in the city, especially toward the north. Many trees, awnings and buildings were injured, but up to 10 o'clock no casualties had been reported.

There are expected tomorrow, however, 107 cases of heat prostration in the boroughs of Manhattan and the Bronx during the hours between 2 a. m. and 10:30 a. m. today.

The manager of the company was called on by the local officers of the union, who asked that the contract system be either abolished or the contractors guaranteed district wages of \$2 per day in case they failed to earn it contracting. The manager declined to accede to the request and a strike on this particular property was ordered.

The mines and mills were shut down and remained idle until the 17th of June, when enough non-union men and union men who were dissatisfied with the strike returned to work in the mines to break sufficient ore to keep one of the mills running, the other being dismantled for repairs. With this limited force the mill has been kept steadily running until this morning.

During this time the local officers of the union interviewed the manager of the company several times endeavoring to bring about an amicable adjustment of the difficulty, but their efforts were futile. Some two weeks ago Mr. Sullivan, of the executive committee of the Western Federation of Miners, arrived at Telluride, consulted the manager, and he also was unable to accomplish anything.

The prolonged strike was having such a depressing influence on the business interests of the town that the local officers of the union were appointed to the absence of the manager of the mine, this committee had been unable to take any action.

The officials of the local union severely denounced the violence resorted to by the local officers of the union in the mines a feeling of bitterness and resentment has been growing against the miners who returned to work.

COLORADO'S GOVERNOR  
HOLDS TROOPS READY.

Denver, July 3.—When Governor Orman received word telling him of the riot at the Smuggler-Union mine and asking for 500 militia, he immediately issued a call for companies located at Denver and Pueblo to assemble at their armories and await further orders. Then began a telegraphic correspondence between the San

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Philadelphia's Record  
Is Forty-Seven Deaths.  
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Philadelphia, Pa., July 3.—Although the temperature did not reach the record it made yesterday and Monday by four degrees, the suffering from the heat and the fatal results from the torrid wave were nearly as great as on the two previous days. The maximum temperature today was reached at 2 p. m., when the weather bureau thermometer registered 88.2 degrees. An

approaching thunderstorm then sent the mercury downward, and at 8 o'clock tonight, when the storm arrived, the temperature had gone down to 89 degrees.

Humidity, however, then began to play its deadly part. The storm brought only a light shower of rain, which was soon dried up by the sun-baked streets, and the percentage of humidity went up from 40 to 45, leaving the city still in an uncomfortable state.

Up to midnight the number of deaths attributed to the excessive heat reported since last midnight were forty-seven, with the prostrations over 250. The further reports from the police stations and hospitals will considerably increase these numbers. Yesterday there were more than fifty deaths and over 300 prostrations. Hundreds of horses have perished since the hot spell began.

Many industrial establishments were against either shut down or working short hours. It was estimated that only one-third of the working population of the Kensington manufacturing district was at work today.

In order that heat patients can be promptly attended to, the city authorities have issued orders that policemen may seize any near-by team, so as to get a patient to a hospital quickly. Tents have been erected in various parts of the city to care for the prostrated.

Reports from interior towns of the state indicate only slight moderation in the excessive heat of the previous days. Nearly all report further prostrations, with here and there a death directly attributable to the heat.

MERCURY GOES OVER  
100 IN PARTS OF KANSAS.

Kansas City, Mo., July 3.—Kansas City today was in the center of the hottest part of the country. Within a radius of 200 miles of this city the temperature ranged from 95 to 108 degrees. In central Kansas hot winds are reported as literally burning up all vegetation. At Leavenworth, Kan., the highest point recorded in this part of the country for years was reached, the government thermometer in that city making 108 at 3 o'clock. Other records in Kansas: Hutchinson, 105; Fort Scott, 104; Lawrence, 102; Atchison, 100; Arkansas City, 98; St. Joseph, 98; Sedalia, 104; Kansas City, 101; Joplin, 100; Springfield, 96.

In Kansas City the record of yesterday was exceeded. The rain of the five previous days, none of which it is believed will prove fatal, were reported. In Joplin the drought of the past ten days has so reduced the water supply as to threaten a shutting down of many mining plants unless rain comes soon.

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Twenty Die From The  
Heat In Pittsburgh.  
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Pittsburgh, Pa., July 3.—Eighty-six deaths directly attributable to the excessive heat have occurred in Pittsburgh since last Wednesday. Of this number, sixty-four were reported since Sunday night.

The torrid wave was broken at 9 o'clock this morning by rain. The mercury dropped from 81 to 72 in a few minutes. Two deaths and three prostrations from the heat were reported up to 9 o'clock.

At 1 p. m. thirteen deaths and twenty prostrations had been reported. The mercury registered 81 degrees. The rain had ceased, but it was cloudy and threatening.

At midnight the temperature stood at a living figure—75—the rain of the day and night having served to relieve the torture for the present, at least. Up to midnight twenty deaths and forty-eight prostrations, caused by the heat, had been reported.

COOL BREEZE GIVES  
RELIEF AT BALTIMORE.

Baltimore, July 3.—Twenty-seven additional deaths from heat were reported to the police up to midnight tonight. Of these fifteen died yesterday, but were not reported until today. The five cases of heat prostration in the record for the twenty-four hours ending tonight. The grand total thus far is eighty-six deaths and more than 300 cases of prostration.

While the maximum temperature for the day was not so high as that of yesterday, the relative humidity was greater and the oppressiveness much more severe. The highest point attained by the mercury was reported at 8 p. m., when it showed 85. Six degrees lower than the top point of yesterday.

Shortly after 4 o'clock a brisk wind and a brief thunderstorm cooled the air and the mercury dropped to 84 at 8 p. m., at which point it remained until midnight.

HEAT CAUSES DEATHS AND  
INSANITY IN CHICAGO.

Chicago, July 3.—While the temperature of today was lower than several days for the last week, the great humidity made it one of the most uncomfortable days this city has experienced during the summer. There were three deaths, sixteen prostrations and one case of insanity, due to the heat. The last case was that of Mrs. Mary Brown, whose dementia made her enter the residence of her neighbors, where she smashed furniture, glassware and pictures. She was removed to the detention hospital and is expected to recover.

The maximum temperature of the day was 84 and the humidity was 89. Warmer weather is predicted for tomorrow.

HOT WAVE BLOWS  
ITS SCORCHING ELAST.

Albany, N. Y., July 3.—The hot wave continues in this section. At 9 o'clock the thermometer registered 84 degrees.

Buffalo, N. Y., July 3.—The official temperature in this section, says a light breeze, west, 12 miles.

Louisville, Ky., July 3.—A special from Hookingville, Ky., says: Light deaths, directly due to the heat, oc-

WAR DEPARTMENT ORDERS INFANTRY  
AND ARTILLERY TO FORT DOUGLAS

Washington, July 2.—Secretary Root has issued orders assigning to stations in the United States the troops just returned from the Philippines. The order assigns the Fourth cavalry headquarters staff and band and two squadrons to Fort Assiniboine, Mont., the remaining squadrons to the department of the Columbia.

Coast artillery: The Twenty-ninth and Thirtieth companies to the department of California; the Thirty-second and Thirty-third companies to the department of the Columbia.

Field artillery: First battery to San

Francisco; Eighth battery to Vanoc-

ber barracks, Washington; Twelfth

battery to Fort Douglas, Utah; Thir-

teenth battery to Fort Logan, Colorado.

Fourteenth infantry: The headquar-

ters staff and band and the Second

battalion to Madison barracks, New

York; two companies to Fort Porter,

New York, and two companies to Fort

Niagara, New York.

Eighteenth infantry: Headquarters,

staff and band and the Second and

Third battalions to the